

House Resolution No. 101

Whereas, Dan Stoverink of Parkway, Missouri, is a Captain with the Chesterfield Fire Protection District and Shop Steward for Local 2665 of the Firefighters Union, for which he represents 103 firefighters and support staff; and

Whereas, a firefighter for twenty-two years, Dan Stoverink received a coveted Pillar of Parkway award in May 2001 after nomination by the Oak Brook Elementary and Southwest Middle Schools communities in light of his outstanding commitment, contributions, and dedication to the school district; and

Whereas, the father of five wonderful children, Dan Stoverink strives to make a difference in the lives and safety of students every day through his activities as a school fire prevention and safety volunteer, vice president of the Oak Brook Parent Teacher Organization (PTO), co-president-elect of the Southwest Middle School PTO, parent committee member and worker on the "Naturezania" nature trails project at Oak Brook, field trip chaperone, tax campaign volunteer, baseball coach for the Ballwin Athletic Association, and Cub Scout leader; and

Whereas, Dan Stoverink developed his community service inclinations naturally as the son of a retired Richmond Heights firefighter and as the brother of a Brentwood firefighter and a St. Louis County policeman; and

Whereas, an honoree in the Adopt a Hero program instituted by the Honorable Bob Holden, Governor of the state of Missouri, Dan Stoverink will be publically recognized during the Governor's State of the State address given before a Joint Session of the General Assembly in the House Chambers on Wednesday, January 23, 2002; and

Whereas, the state of Missouri is a better place in which to live because of the diligence, commitment, and concern of such outstanding citizens as Dan Stoverink:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the ongoing community service legacy of Dan Stoverink, to extend a cordial welcome to him as an honored guest in the state Capitol, and to wish him continued personal success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Dan Stoverink of Governor Bob Holden's Adopt a Hero program.

Offered by _____
Representative Jane Cunningham
District No. 86

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 101, adopted January 23, 2002.

Jim Kreider, Speaker